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Supreme Court of the United States
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No. 1956

CHARLES W. BAKER, *et al.*,

v.

JOE C. CARR, *et al.*,

Appellants,

Appellees.

ON APPEAL FROM THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE

**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE A BRIEF AND
BRIEF AS AMICI CURIAE**

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AS AMICI CURIAE**

The above named residents of Nassau County, New York, hereby respectfully move for leave to file a brief annexed hereto as *amici curiae* in this case. The consent of the appellants was granted, but the consent of the appellees was refused.

These Nassau County residents are all qualified voters in that county and state, and, like the appellants, are discriminated against in voting for representatives in both houses of their state legislatures by reason of the unequal apportionment of voting districts.

The very short brief which these residents seek to submit will argue that the interest in the fair apportionment of state legislative seats in an essential element under the Fourteenth Amendment of equal protection of the laws.

Appellants' argument is directed primarily to the situation in Tennessee. The *amici curiae* believe that it will

be helpful to the Court to have before it the effects of unfair apportionment in the State of New York.

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